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Carranza Asks Withdrawal of U.S.fromMex.

The latest dispatches from the Mexican zone of disturbance are to the effect that the Carranza de facto government has demanded the absolute withdrawal of all American troops from Mexican territory.

The Carranza regime contends that the bands of Villa bandits have been broken up and dispersed, and that the United States has achieved the object of its punitive expedition, Therefore, Carranza contends, the United States should withdraw its forces and leave the field clear for Carranza's soldiers to complete whatever remains to be done.

Negotiations covering this phase of the situation are now going forward between the administration at Washington and the Carranza authorities. The outcime cannot be foretold.

This much seems certain: If the American troops remain much longer in Mexico we will have to fight the entire Mexican people, which will mean ten years of guerrila warfare. Already the American expedition has been fired on by Carranza troops, at Parral and else where. It is extremely doubtful whether they can be held within bounds much longer.

With the exception of a small, favored minority, the Mexican people are steeped in ignorance and superstition. About 90 per cent of them are illiterate. For some unknown reason they hate all Americans. They have been taught that we are a cowardly race and will not fight. Dealing with an ignorant, inflamable people who have no conception as to the purpose of the expedition—who will insist upon regarding it as an invasion—we will be lucky if we avoid war with Mexico, should the Americans continue the chase after Villa.

On the other hand, if our troops are forthwith withdrawn from Mexico, with Villa still at large, we are very much in the position of that king who "with forty thousand men marched up a hill and then marched down again."

In either case—whether the Americans carry the pursuit of Villa further, bringing ultimate war, or leave Mexico with their task uncompleted—President Wilson and the State Department will face a situation that will call forth all their resources.

John Nicholl On the Job

A letter to the editor of the News from Washington confirms a telegram received a few days ago from John Nicholl, that he is strictly on the job, interesting Congressmen and Senators, the government navy department and others in the proposed big naval academy for Richmond, a picture of which the News printed two weeks ago. The communication states that Mr. Nicholl is meeting with agreeable success and has aroused much interest and favorable attention and comment in favor of the project. Senator Phelan and Congressman Curry have taken the matter up with the naval committee and a number of other representatives are lending much help.

Such an academy is to be located somewhere on this coast, and Mr. Nicholl is showing the navy people that Point Nicholl at Richmond is the best location of any, which it is, for many reasons. He has met Secretary Daniels, Secretary Tumulty and others high up in naval and governmental matters, and now has high hopes of success.

Congressman Church and all of the California delegation are going to the bat hard for the project, and Henry Cutting is there, also, and helping to place the matter in a favorable light.

Is Threatened for Reform Activities

With definite action having been taken last week in closing the redlight houses of Richmond, the threatening letters daily received by Reverend P. E. Peterson, president of the Good Government league have increased in number and virulence. In addition to being accused of closing the redlight houses, Peterson is being accused of causing the cessession of gambling in the city. Any activity along this line Peterson disclaims.

On Monday Peterson spoke in Danville before an all day institute of the W. C. T. U. urging the closing of up county road houses that cater to Oakland night lifers and joy riders.

No Further Clews in Big Car Barn Robbery Case

With the police convinced of Heine Bennelack's complicity in the robbery of the local carbarns, ashaving been perfectly innocent, the apprehension of the real robbers is as far distant as it was immediately following the act on Monday of this week. Bennelack was the hired chauffeur who drove his car for the robbers, whom he declares he does not know, and of whose mission he was ignorant, when they hired him to drive them to Richmond and return.

The bandits, three in number, first held up Elmer Wood, dispatcher and upon his resistance kicked and beat him brutally. Wood was then gagged and bound. Sunday's earnings of the company were taken by the bandits, who then escaped toward Oakland in a big automobile. They secured $1859.55.

Police were notified and were promptly on the job, phoning to Oakland and Berkeley officials. The machine was seen to pass through Berkeley twenty minutes after the robbery, where trace of the bandits was lost. The machine was later found in Oakland.

Sheriff Veale, working on a clew that the robbers were abandoned escaping up country in a Ford, spent several days searching in the wild vicinity of Bryant.

The robbery was well timed, Wood having come into the office but a few minutes before.

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Christ Has Risen! He Has Risen Indeed!

All over the Christian world, as this next Sabbath morn is ushered in will come the greeting: "Christ has risen," and the reply, "He has risen, indeed!"

Whether Christ rose from the dead as depicted in bibical lore or not matters little. He has risen, just the same, for to deny that is to deny immortality, and to deny immortality is to deny God and the existance of a supreme power, and nobody with common ordinary reasoning faculties denies that any more. To do so is to deny the evidence of one's own sight and senses.

Neither does it matter, in the great scheme of immortality and plan of man's everlasting life and salvation, whether Christ was man or deity. The question and problem of universal interest today is whether we, each and every one of us on earth today and in the days to come, are to rise from the dead and live again. Whether Christ was man or deity, or both, does not change that. If he were but man, immortality stands just the same, and if he was deity it was but another manifestation of immortality. A Supreme ruling power over the destinies of this and probably myriads of other worlds and a consequent immortality of man, is the general acceptation of a vast majority of the whole civilized world today, and the evidence is a thousand to one that it is true.

Seed time and harvest, the grandeur of nature's works, the holy emotions inherit in every mind and heart, and a million other things, even to the silvery song of the bird and the sweet smile of the little flower, all teach us of the soul of man and of immortality.

In the great plan nothing has been overlooked or forgotten. The smallest wish of the most insignificant insect or crawling worm is provided for—then how can it be that the dearest wish of man, the greatest of God's creatures, should be denied? It is not.

The grass and tree and shrub die, the same as we die, only to live again, they from the root, we from the root also—the soul. The violet and the rose shriveled and passed from view, with Winter's icy blast moaning their requiem and the white mantle of frost and snow their shroud but now their tender shoots and leaves and buds are coming again into view and their blossoms will gladden all mankind on Easter morn—typifying that seeming death is but in reality a sleep and temporary rest.

And so when the cold breath of our winter comes, and we fold our hands as have the flowers their petals, and close our tired eyes and minds for the long rest and sleep, it is not death, but only the beginning of life.

There is no such thing as death.

Nothing dies that does not live again.

Skeptics say the tree and grass and shrub and flower live again only in their sprouts and new growth, which in turn bloom and blossom, the old plant being dead, and that so we live again in our children, who in turn have children, but we are dead. Nothing of the sort! the simile lacks logic. The root of the old plant does not die, nor does the soul of man. It lives forever and forever, becomes a part of the Great Whole, and radiates godliness, goodness and sunbeams and genial warmth and happiness, into the dimpled smile of the babe, into the peaceful resignation of the aged, into all this world, and mayhap other worlds, too, for aught we know.

The tiny rivulet that purls and gurgles and creeps along in its course toward the sea finally reaches its destination. Is it lost, or dead, or destroyed? Certainly not—not one drop of it—it simply in time merges into and becomes a part of the Great Whole.

Look around you this spring and in the new life of Nature take heart and be encouraged in noting also its unmistakable evidence of your own immortality!

We celebrate Easter with rejoicing and music and praise and glad tidings each to the other, as the awakening of nature after its winter's sleep into the bright plumage and quickening influences of spring exemplifies the awakening from the sleep called death, and typify it with new blos-

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"Easter"

By Sarah Walsworth Beach
Richmond California

Didst ever recall how in early Fall
Our beautiful trees turned to brown,
How their leaves rustled down to "Wondertown"
And responding, Earth enriched with it all?

The trees rested, the leaves died, were crucified,
Then in the Spring again were born—
Is there aught in this world that has not unfurled
The Banner of Resurrection Morn?

Nature is our lesson and by obsession
We must awake as do buds in Spring.
By sleep we're caressed into "Perfect Rest"—
Oh, Grave where is thy sting?

Election For School Board On Saturday

One of Richmond's so-called, lessel elections will be held tomorrow when the primary election for candidates for election to the Board of Education will be held. E. L. Jones, at present a member of the board, will retire from office, and the general election to choose his successor will be held on Saturday May 6.

Frank P. Gardner, the pioneer, Macdonald avenue real estate man is being vigorously boosted by his many friends as the man for the position. Others who have been nominated by their friends are R. R. Slattery, of Shrader's Furniture store; Thomas J. Shea, president of the Richmond Parlor of Native Sons, and Edward K. Strowbridge, building contractor.

Vote for but one candidate, as there is but one office to fill. The two highest candidates will run for election at the general election, May 6.

The polls will be open from 6 a. m. to 7 p. m. and it is expected that a new record for school election voting will be set.

The election officers are: First precinct, old city hall, Washington avenue, inspector, H. G. Stidham; judges R. L. Adams and Mrs. R. G. Erskine.

Precinct No. 2 Lincoln schoolhouse, Tenth street, Inspector, Mrs. W. A. Boone; judges, Mrs. Sarah E. Greathouse and Mrs. Mattie J. House. Precinct No. 3, Taxpayers league office, Sixth street adjoining post office. Inspector, D. W. Calfee. Judges, Mrs. C. S. Gibson and J. E. Zumwalt. Precinct No. 4, high school building. Inspector, Mrs. Annabelle Jarvis. Judge, Bertha B. Faber, and Hay H. Donnelly. Precinct No. 5, Progressive clubhouse, Potrero avenue. Inspector, Harry Ellis; Judges Ben Boorman and Nellie Scott. Precinct No. 6, Fairmont school house at county line. Inspector, Fannie V. Conlon; Judges, Annie M. Lotter, and Carrie Bigley.

Kaiser Gets Note; Break Improbable

The war scare has passed. Germany and the United States are not going to spill each other's bliod. Not immediately at least. The latest developments this afternoon ware optimistic rather than toward a break, even diplomatic, with Germany.

WASHINGTON, April 21—Secretary Lansing, who conferred with the President before the Cabinet meeting, said he did not expect any action until a reply was received from Germany or unless another ship carrying Americans was torpedoed by a German submarine.

While government officials today wer anxiously awaiting Germany's final word in the diver crisis there was a noticeable absence of the pessimism which prevailed when President Wilson read his informative address to Congress.

America's note with representations of Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and Foreign Minister Von Jagow have been presented to Kaiser Wilhelm, who is with his troops at the front.

Water Board to Visit Snow Mt. Water Project

A large auto party, composed of Richmond Water District commissioners, city councilmen, newspaper representatives, prominent business men of Richmond, Mayor Daves of Oakland and many Oakland and Berkeley city officials will leave Richmond at eight o'clock Saturday morning for Ukiah, Mendocino county, where the members of the party will spend a few days investigating a possible water supply for the east bay cities, which is proposed by the Snow Mountain Water and Power company.

The general plan of the expedition in search of a plenteous water supply was decided on at a meeting of the commission at Secretary Lane's office, Wednesday night.

As the crow flies it is but one hundred miles to Ukiah, and with the exception of the slight engineering problem presented by the pipe lines crossing the San Pablo bay or the Straits of Carquinez, the conducting of an ample source of mountain water to Richmond from the Mendocino county supply, seems feasible.

The expedition will return Sunday afternoon or Monday morning. Commissioner J. B. Willis is arranging the trip, which will be made by way of the Martinez-Benicia ferry.

Money for Sonny

The Daily News will pay five cents each for the first ten copies of the edition of April 14, delivered to this office in good condition.

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THESE WAR PRICES ARE CRIMINAL

The nefarious robbing combines that are now putting up prices on the necessities of life in this country because of a war abroad are much worse criminals than ordinary pickpockets, thieves and porch climbers, in that they plunder more people—in fact all the people. Swift and sure retribution should be meted out to these freebooters of commerce, and quite likely that is what they will get, for President Wilson has already taken official notice of their illegal and unholy conspiracies and instructed the Attorney General to investigate at once and take steps as may be necessary to put a stop to it. Some of these trusts and combines are going to get rough handled by the federal government pretty soon, and speed the glorious day when the manipulators receive penitentiary sentences and striped clothing. This thing of shaking dice upon the stomachs of the poor has already gone too far in this country and this last tendency to raise to exorbitant prices on nearly all the necessities of life is about the last straw on the already overburdened back of the camel. Wall street and Big Business will of course howl their heads off over this action of the present administration, but the people will rise up and call it blessed. There is no excuse whatever for a raise of prices at this time in America, and those implicated in the wholesale robbery deserve the most severe punishment—not a fine, but personal imprisonment, where they can break rock instead of breaking homes and hearts.

The jobbers and wholesale trust, in nearly all staples in California and about every other state are in this conspiracy to hold up and defraud the people by extortion and the state government as well as federal should act at once and nip the plot in the bud before it goes any further.

Everything one goes into a store to buy nowdays, from rump steak to a box of pills, one is informed that some ingredient in it came from Germany and cannot be got any more, or has gone up in price to such an extent that the dealer has to charge you 'steen prices. This, of course, comes to the retailer from the wholesaler, and to him from the jobber and manufacturer, and the biggest half of it is a mess of lies. And even in such part of it as be true it is a mighty poor commentary for us to have to admit that we can't make dyes and can't make forty-leven other things, but must depend upon Germany for it. Why can't we make it? If we have to depend upon Germany for half the stuff we use, we better lay off and go over there and attend night school.

We have heard a great deal about reform out here by the placid Pacific, on the part of Governor Hiram Johnson and his army of office holders and captains in the bull moose army but it has consisted in burdening the statute books of the state with a lot of blue-sky and other fool enactments and laws that has made California the laughing stock of the nation along those lines. We have been given laws to prohibit cats from having too many kittens; ballots a mile long filled with legislative and administrative rubbish that would give a man blind staggers if he undertook to read the half of it; you can kiss anybody's wife that is willing, if you don't cross the state line while doing so; you can only fish in a water bucket like other Simple Simmons did; you can't shoot anything except with your mouth and that is at a premium. We have laws to prevent trousers bagging at the knees, and statutes regulating the flow of milk and honey. And we have commissions, hundreds of commissions and commissioners, all drawing fat salaries from the state treasury to see to it that all this tommyrot and folderol is enforced. Half the people are out on parole and the other half soon will be, and before long we will have prohibition, not only of booze but the daring to crack peanuts inside the city limits of a Sunday. It is a pity somebody would not grab hold of the jawbone of some robust ass and crack the heads of a few hundred peanut-head politicians.

But, notwithstanding all this great and glorious reform, illegal and criminal trusts and commercial combines of all kinds of crookedness are permitted to put their rapacious hands into the pockets of the people and plunder them at will, and not a peep goes up about it from this gang of holier-than-thou apostles of pinheadism.

In the name of a sorrowful Savior and an outraged people, why don't the Governor and Attorney General of this state of California raise to an emergency and do something for the relief of a suffering constituency whose pockets are being turned inside out and rifled by as nefarious a band of commercial cut-throats as ever scuttled a ship? Why is no move made to investigate the jobbers, wholesale and unlawful combines in this state now allied together in a conspiracy to deliberately hold up and mulct every citizen? If we have laws against dark-lantern and bludgeon methods of dealing between man and man, why are not they enforced?

Are they pleading federal jurisdiction? What, then, about the worst, the very worst and most rotten trust of them all which is purely local, towit, the fish trust.

Personally this writer is not much of a partisan and cares little what party is in power, just so the people get a square deal. Our experience has lead us to believe that all political parties are pretty much alike when it comes to giving the toilers and produces the dirty end of the stick, so we generally vote for men and measures rather than for political names and emblems.

War is hell, all right enough, as Sherman said, and it is hell enough far across the sea without bringing the hell part of it right here to our homes by levying a Shylock tax upon every morsel of food that passes the mouths of ourselves, our wives and our babies.

Let this alleged, so-called and self-styled state administration do something, and DO IT NOW, or at least attempt to do something, for the general relief of all the people, or once for all acknowledge that it is a fake and fraud and a rank failure other than in manipulation of hot air.

The side of the poor and oppressed is the right side to champion. Christ was poor and oppressed.

There is no worse handicap than for man to think he is not as good as any other man.

In the beginning there was no capital until labor produced it, and there would be no capital today unless labor produced it. The laborer, however is not a capitalist, and, as a general rule the capitalist does not labor.

Don't ever point out the fact that a few years ago you could have bought the city hall site for a song and sung the song yourself; for some smart Alic is sure to ask why you didn't do it.

In contending that the full dinner pail will show up again some day, an exchange says that the railroads are "already feeling the turn of the tide." Their stocks are certainly watered sufficiently to be susceptible to tidal influences.

A horse confined in a field sees and dreams of a very choice pasture lying some distance beyond, but if it is turned loose it wanders and wanders and never finds it. Its travels lie along dusty roads, with the grass on either side fenced beyond its reach, and it is the same with the man who has a job. Te thinks that all he has to do is to go away from the place where he is tied, and that he will "do better." But the roads are long and dusty, and he soon begins to show the effect of travel upon them.

THE BEAUTIFUL LESSON OF EASTER

Out in the world all Nature is smiling and glad; and so should the heart of man smile and be glad. for Nature is a book from whose leaves we may read many blessed lessons. The Easter time and the Spring time are exemplifications of new life. of immortality, and of the inborn knowledge that somewhere far, far off beyond where the blue line of the mesas and the bluer line of the sky come together is life and joy forever. The birds, the trees and the flowers are teaching us if we would but look and listen, a beautiful lesson of life and love. Before the Easter and the Spring we ponder o'er the problems of life and wonder if we will ever rise out of the Great Silence of the death sleep, yet all around us now we can see a thousand signs symbolic of an everlasting life. The grass and flowers have seemed dead, yet now are peering into the glad spring time. From the egg is hatching new life out of apparent inanimate matter. The sun rises out of a bed of firey splendor over the whitecapped mountains, warming the verdure into bud and leaf and flower after the long winter's sleep as silent at death. The ice-bound rivulets, dead and cold, are bursting their frozen fetters and trickling down the mountain sides, to moisten the grass, the trees, the new growth of grain, and then go gurgling musically on in their search for the sea. The blue bird, the meadow lark and the robin-red-breast are here again, silvery-throated harbingers of new life and never-ending love; and there are other countless evidences all around of life's and love's immortality.

A fellow showed us a small lot recently way up on top of the Berkeley foothills, a mile from anywhere and another mile from nowhere. It was part bluff, and part hole in the ground. The real estate agent had the rest of the bluff, as he wanted $2700 for the lot. It was reasonably worth sixty dollars and six bits.

Mr. Capitalist, befort you get to heaven in that hot air baloon of yours you will have to throw out a lot of ballast. Bags of gold are heavy and can't be carried very high. It is not needed for street paving up there, anyway, as the streets are already paved.

MONEY ABOVE HUMAN LIFE

Recently in London Premier Asquith admitted that the government was powerless to settle the financial difficulties of half a million coal miners with the coal trusts, and recited a lot of cant about what they had tried to do. Ah, the shame of it! Half a million people on the verge of starvation because the giant coal cimbines will not pay a minimum scale of wages of $1.50 per day for able-bodied men and 75 cents for boys! Half a million people in rags and with not enough food in sight to keep body and soul together! And a great government confessing that it is unable to put a stop to it—confessing its weakness; confessing that the same state of affairs exists in England that exists in this country; that the trusts and money combines are indeed greater and more powerful than the government itself. Oh, merciful God, teach these blind, greedy, grasping, moneymad lords of finance in the old country and in our own country that human flesh and blood and human souls are paramount over mere dollars and cents! It is a crying shame, not only that such things exist but that any civilized government on the face of the earth should be so despicably weak as to confess its inability to cope with them! It is nothing short of a crime, and any government can cope with crime if it be so minded. The miserable canting hyprocrites, why don't they have manhood to come out in the light and tell the truth by confessing, not their weakness, not their inability to remedy a great universal wrong, but that they are owned body and soul by the merciless monoplies who are grinding the poverty stricken wretches who slave for them down to actual starvation; starvation of man, women and children? That is the truth of it, for when they say they cannot stop it they lie; lie like rascals that they are, and show the cloven hoof and the fiend incarnate that is inside of them. Any government of any country can end such a condition in twenty-four hours, and well the English know it. Why have they not manhood to say to the scamps and thieves and oppressors of mankind who own, or claim to own, the vast coal fields and mines, end this condition at once or this government will proceed to take possession of the mines by condemnation process and to operate them in the interests of all the people? That would end it, and end it quick. That is one credit mark we must all give to Theodore Roosevelt, for when a similar condition of affairs was on in Pennsylvania he went there in person and told Bauer, the president of the American coal barons, that very thing, and the effect was magical.

No wonder there are Socialists, anarchists and all sort of thing springing up all over the world today by the hundreds of thousands.

Unless human life can be raised in the scale above greed and gold there will be an awful showdown some day.

It's the steady man that holds the steady job.

A good many kind hearted autoists refrain from running over anybody unless they are in a hurry.

The cost of living goes up in the elevator. Increase of wages climbs the stairs.

Of late years humanity and justice have got mixed up too much with money.

Pull the blanket off a horse before you buy it. And that is not a bad scheme to remember if you are going to get married.

The rich guy who dines on the fat of the land is the one who tells the poor that simple food is most nutritious.

Don't talk very much about what you are going to do, or try to do, but get busy and do it. Make good.

If Mexicans would devote as much energy to raising crops as they do to raising hell, Mexico would be a prolific and prosperous country.

It is claimed by the opponents of the income tax that it will make of us a nation of liars. Even that is preferable to a nation of millionaires and tramps

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There seems to be about the same amount of controversy over the probabilities of the election as usual. It really does not matter very much to us who toil—we'll toil anyhow.

Charity is all very nice, of course, and a godly virtue, but efforts to oblitérate poverty are better. As poverty decreases, the necessity for charity fades away in proportion.

We note from a pamphlet just received that brewers and distillers are public benefactors, which we never suspicioned before. One can learn a little every day.

The Oakland Tribune says the Roosevelt band wagon looks like Johnson pie wagon. Difference in the point of view. One fellow once thought a dead Indian was a great chieftian, while another though it was a squaw.

Thinks From the Thinkograph

He who has time to boast of how hard he works will never die from overwork.

It's a hard scheme to plant enough cabbages to supply the demand of the caterpillars.

John D. advises children to save their pennies. They won't save many if John D. sees 'em first.

The difference between an esthetic and a fool is that it takes twice as many letters to spell the former.

The fellow who said that everything comes to he who waits was as big a liar as Colonel Roosevelt says everybody else is.

Believing that a rich man goes to hell is not going to save you from going there unless you behave fair to middlin' in the meantime.

It is said bickering and wrangling will follow if a cross-eyed person is at the wedding. Didn't know there were so many cross-eyed people on earth.

Emerson says, "spirit primarily means wind." Depends upon what you are talking about. There are all kinds of spirits, including spirits frumenti, and all kinds of wind, including political hot air.

Keep a promise whether you keep a secret or not. Keep both if possible.

The lazy loafer who never prospers always growls at the prosperity of others.

The novel and stage heroine possesses all the attributes of beautiful womanhood except virtue.

The old saying, "two heads are better than one," does not apply the next morning after the night before.

I forget just now whether it was Tennyson's brook or the Mexican war that was slated to go on forever.

Sometimes a fellow has to lie a little bit from necessity, but there is no sense in being a liar from choice.

Mars, the god of war, dropped over into Germany the other day, remarking: "I'm some scrapper myself but these fellows make me tired."

Some politicians are so crooked that if they ever swallowed anything that was alive it would have to be cross-eyed to find its way around inside of them.

Cold cash makes warm hearts—sometimes.

Love at first sight sometimes welches after a second look.

Some fellows have to get tight before they will loosen up.

It is claimed that rich people are not as happy as the poor. Pass the misery.

Nobody but a woman can keep cool in a set of furs and warm in a pearl necklace.

About the time a man gets a pair of patent leather shoes broken in the patent expires.

We pray not to be led into temptation, and then go round looking for it with an electric searchlight. What we need is to be saved from our own foot selves.

The only man I know of that loves his enemy as he does himself keeps drunk all the time.

When a man gets a jolt from fortune an ounce of help is better than a pound of preaching.

Booze and calico is sure a fierce combination.

The man of the hour does not watch the clock.

A golden opportunity is not necessarily a peroxide blond.

The Belgians are still busy picking the cannon balls out of the landscape.

Mr. Hearst seems to love President Wilson with the same ardor that a bug does a speckled hen.

I do not know who will be the next president of Mexico, but whoever he is he has my sympathy.

It's sure a fine thing that the Creator saw fit to place the United States on this side of the Atlantic.

The athletic young man doesn't seem to need exercise at the same time the garden needs spading.

Some of us follow the straight and narrow path because it is right to do so, and then again some of us have cold feet.

A fashion paper says Easter hats will be simply trimmed. Huh! So will father.

There are about as many peddlers and book agents knocking at the door as opportunities.

The new models of automobiles seem to be about as hard to dodge as the old kinds were.

A man loafer is worse than a woman loafer.

Since the outlawry of absinthe the birth rate of pink elephants has decreased.

Love is blind, but it can see into the depths of a pocketbook fair to middlin'.

A fellow gets up against so many buncos and slams in this world there is really no use for another hell.

One fairly good argument in favor of prohibition is that all the bartenders, bums and prostitutes are against it.

A brother editor says the finger of scorn should be pointed at every immoral man. Sure! But where are you going to get all the fingers?

Good roads often lead to bad roadhouses.

Do not put contraction shoes on expansion feet.

A swell head is a worse ailment than an inflamed appendix.

A man's hair turns gray faster than his wife's because he wears it all the time.

Charity and pity of the steam calliope kind don't pierce the azure blue more'n a mile or two.

Chewing tobacco is filthy; chewing gum is a lot of hard work; chewing the rag is useless.

The sugar soon wears off a pill.

Latest Labor News

The regular meeting of the Executive council of the California State Federation of Labor, held in the Underwood building, San Francisco last Sunday was attended by the local representative Fred W. Heckman, business agent of the local unions. The meeting was presided over by President Haggerty and the partial minutes of the meeting were furnished the News by Secretary Paul Scharrenberg.

Communications—

Frank Morrison, Sec. A. F. of L. Washington D. C., relative to the printing of school text-books, under fair conditions, and calling attention to the fact that text-books and maps published by the Rand-McNally Company of Chicago, Ill., are produced under unfair conditions. (Jan. 27) relatitve to the proposed repeal of the Seamen's law, (Feb. 6) circular relative to the shorter work day; encouraging the organiation of school teachers throughout the country requesting national and international unions to secure the protection afforded by the registration of their titles and labels; urging affiliated organizations to respond as generously as possible to the appeal of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, to defray the cost of the expense of numerous cases still pending against the members andofficers of that union; urging "Labor Forward Movement;" the establishment of free State Universities, text books, tuition, laboratories, etc.; endorsing the action of the Musicians in opposing the use of juvenile bands and orchestras in competition with musicians under the jurisdiction of the American Federation of Musicians; requesting organizers of the American Federation of Labor to make every effort to organize local unions of firemen connectetd with the municipal fire departments with a view of ultimately forming a national organiation; urging the support of union labels, shop cards, and buttons of the various affiliated organizations; urging the organization of florists and gardeners of the United States and Canada; urging the enactment of the "Model Anti-Trust Injunction Limitation Law for State Use." Noted and filed.

From Samuel Gompers, Pres., A. F. of L. (March 22) relative to the same matter, also in regard to the proposed organizing campaign of Milkers' Union No. 8861 of San Francisco. (April 5) relative to same subjects. (Feb. 9) relative to circular letter issued by our Federation with reference towards Japanese immigration. (Feb. 11) relative to the Burnett Immigration Bill and requesting that we communicate with our representatives in Congress and urge them to support the bill. Relative to the unfair attitude of the G. & C. Merriam Company of Springfield, Mass., and R. R. Donnelly & Sons Company, Chicago Ill., publishers of the new edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica, toward the Allied Printing Trades Unions. (Mar. 6) submitting statement upon the Japanese problem. (Mar. 16) relative to commissioning Ludwig Keller of Fresno as volunteer organizer for Fresno and vicinity. (Mar. 23) relative to various matters referred to the Eexecutive Council by the San Frin. cisco convention. (Mar. 26) call for a Labor's World Peace Congress, to be held at the same time and in the same city as the representatives from the different countries will meet to determine the terms of peace. All noted and filed.

From Jackson, Eureka, Bakersfield, Santa Rosa, Pettaluma, each requesting the services of an organizer. All referred to New Business.

From Committee on Industrial Relations, Washington, D. C., (Feb 2) acknowledgeing receipt of our letter of January 24th, and that the committee had succeeded in having a resolution pass the House of Representatives providing for the publication of 100,000 copies of the report of the Commission on Industrial Relations. (Mar. 23) an appeal for financial assistance to carry on the work of the committee. On motion, the sum of $25.00 was unanimously voted as the State Federation5s contribution.

From Federal Civil Service Employes' Union No. 14374, San Francisco, (Feb. 15) requesting our cooperatiton in petitioning Congress to support and vote for the "Nolan" bill, and Senate Bill No. 632, which provides for an adequate wage and retirement for superannuated Government employes. Request complied with.

From A. J. Rogers, Brewery Workers of California, (Feb. 24) requesting that we forward a protest to United States Senators and Members of Congress against National Prohibition. Request complied with.

From Frank Von Bima, Secretary Marin County Labor Council (Mar. 30) requesting information relative to the labor record of Assemblyman Will R. Sharkey. Information furnished.

NEW BUSINESS

Labor Political Convention—With reference to the request of the Los Angeles Building Trades and Central Labor Councils to call to convention of delegates from bona fide recognized labor, unions for the purpose of devising ways and means to further the election of candidates for the Judiciary and Legislative, Secretary stated that all the Central Labor Councils of the Statte had been asked for an expression of opinion upon the advisability of calling such a convention with the following results:

Of the twenty Labor Councils in the State, nine in effect rejected the proposal, eight endorsed it, and three failed to reply.

The attitude of the various Labor Councils follows: Rejected (9): Bakersfield, Oakland, Pasadena, Petaluma, Richmond, Sacramento, San Francisco, Stockton and Vallejo. Endorsed (8): El Centro, Eureka, Fresno, Los Angeles, San iDego, San Jose, San Rafael and Santa Rosa. Failed to reply (3): Marysville, San Bernardino and San Pedro.

On motion it was decided to take no further action in the matter.

Stockton Situation— Organizer Vitaich explained latest developmentts with reference to Laundry Workers' strike. Pres. Redenbaugh of the Central Labor Council of San Jouquin County was admitted. Vice-President Cacey of the International Teamsters' Union to come to Stockton Casey (who was present by invitation) then explained

After discussion Organizer Vit-

Aftetr discussion Organizer Vitaich was directed to go to Stockton and submit to the Stockton Labor Council the conditions under which Vice-President Casey would comply with their request.

In the matter of the Stockton boycott and picketing cases Secretary reported that Attorney Lister, who is retained by the State Federation, is looking forward for an early termination of cases now pending.

STATE FEDERATION'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The financial statement of the State Federation, covering the period from January 1 to March 31, 1916, was then submitted as follows:

Balance on hand December 31, 1915	$2,246.27
Receipts	
Receipts, January 1 to March 31, 1916	$2.030.36
Total	$4,276.63

Respectfully submitted,
PAUL SHARRENBERG, Sec.

RALPH PYNCHON IS LAID AWAY TO FINAL REST

Lare Ralph Pynchon, member of Teamster Union No. 420 was crushed beneath a horse roller at the entrance to Cushing's yards, at Fourth and Ripley, last Saturday.

Funeral services were held over the body by Reverend Frank Linder and interment was made in Sunset View cemeterry. Scores of Teamsters were present and the pall bearers were from his more intimate friends in the union.

CEMENT WORKERS

Local No. 138, A. B. and C. W. meets Second and Fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 8 o'clock, in Labor Temple, 4th street, near Macdonald.

J. H. DUUS, President.
JOHN THOMSON, Sec.-Treas., 154 Thirteenth Street.

GOOD CLERKS AND MERCHANTS ARE 50-50

With but one or two exceptions the local Clerks' Union has signed every Richmond merchant to the agreement that all stores shall close at six o'clock, except on pay-day and Saturday nights.

This is a victory with honors divided between the fair merchants and the principled clerks.

THE POOR POVERTRY-STRICKEN PLUNDERED, PILLAGED, PLEADING RAILROADS ASK MERCY

LOS ANGELES, April 17—E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway, wrote a letter of advice and explanation today to be sent from here to the 15,000 or more men on the system affected by the demands of the four railroad brotherhoods for a basic eight hour day recently presented to the railroads of the United States. He discussed the possibility of "passing one or two dividends" if the demands were enforced and cautioned the men against action which might jeopardize their positions, but which "will not help them."

"The men who handle the throttle or feed the fire or ride the freight trains or wield the conductor's punch," Ripley said, "are no more necessary to the operation of the railroad than those who care for the track or build the bridges.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE DISTRICT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of Martin James Mufich, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy, No. 9998.

To the creditors of Martin James Mufich, of the County of Contra Costa, district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1916, the said Martin James Mufich was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., in the City of Oakland, State aforesaid, on the 10th day of April A. D. 1916, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of proving their claims against the estate of said bankrupt, and examining said bankrupt and that at the same time and place all creditors whose claims have been duly proven and allowed shall appoint one or three trustees of said estate, and also may consider whether such trustee or trustees shall be authorized to sell the property of the estate.

Claims must be prepared in form required by the Bankruptcy Act, and sworn to.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., March 25th A. D., 1916.

W. S. Robenson, Attorney for Petitioner.

Wm. J. Hayes. 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., 13th and Broadway, Oakland, California. Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

1916

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1916

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all prop-

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Meet me in my new location. Satisfaction is our motto.
614 MACDONALD AVE.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, organized Labor for the past two years has conducted a daily newspaper in the interest of organized labor and the laboring class and the general public, without prejudice or favor and

Whereas, the intention of the majority of those directly interested has ever been to publish the truth and nothing but the truth, regardless of personalities and

Whereas, owing to inexperience on the part of those placed in management and the unscrupulous methods used by those employed by the management, the financial condition, became temporarily clouded and, whereas, the stockholders have seen fit at the present time to resume control of the publication with the co-partnership of Mr. F. J. Hulaniski, and, whereas, Editor Hulaniski appeared before the body and stated his attitude toward the laboring class in general and especially organized labor, and asking their moral and financial support, therefore.

Be it resolved, that the Contra Costa Building Trades Council does hereby pledge its moral support at all times and its financial assistance as far as lies in its power to the Richmond Daily News and thus the sooner resume its daily publication, now temporarily suspended, and by so doing more efficiently promote and protect the interests of labor and the citizenship of Richmond in general.

Signed
Contra Costa Building Trades Council, R. W. Seaman, Sec.

SPECIAL NOTICE

A special meeting of the Hodcarriers Local No. 274 will be held on the evening of April 24 at 8 o'clock at the Building Trades Temple 4th and Macdonald. All members requested to attend. Important business to be transacted.

By order of president
R. HENDERSON

FOR SALE—House boat 27 by 11 feet, furnished. Inquire of Wm. F. Stephens, box 602, Pt. Richmond.

A case of high explosive was stolen from a box car while being shipped from Pinole to Bay Point.

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Fictitious Name.

State of California,
County of Contra Costa.—ss.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are partners, transacting business at the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, under a fictitious name, or a designation not showing the names of the persons interested as partners in such business; that the aforesaid fictitious name or designation is "Gibbs Cash Grocery"; that the names in full and the places of residence of all the members of such partnership so transacting business as aforesaid, are as follows: Joseph Gibbs, 742 Haight Avenue, Alameda,California, and Charles H. Hunt, 734 Barrett Avenue, Richmond, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seias at the City of Richmond, California, this 14th day of February, 1916.

(Seal) JOSEPH GIBB
(Seal) CHARLES H. HUNT

State of California,
County of Contra Costa.—ss.

On this 14th day of February, 1916, before me, Homer G. Stidham, a Notary Public in and for said County residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Joseph Gibbs and Charles H. Hunt, knwon to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in this Certificate first above written.

(Notary seal) HAMER G. TIDHh
HOMER G. STIDHAM,
(Notary seal)
Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Endored: No. 221.

Filed in the office of the County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California, this 23rd day of February, 1916.

J. H. Wells, County Clerk.
S. Wells, Deputy Clerk.
March 16-23-30-Apr 6-13

RICHMOND
TRAFFIC-CENTER
SUB-DIVISION

Is located on San Pablo avenue, the greatest thoroughfare in the East Bay section. Business and residence property. San Pablo avenue is a leading commercial thoroughfare. It is also the route through Richmond of the State Highway. Has just been ordered paved with asphalt. Has electric cars.

Richmond Traffic Center is being put on the market with beautiful terraced avenues and full improvements.

There is a building restriction for the higher class of residences, $3000.00 in which section fine homes have already been built, one costing $10,000.00, and there are at this time in the hands of contractors, six additional homes each to cost in the neighborhood of $3000.00 and more.

The Company will also build homes on very easy payment. The location and the marine view are equal to anything else of the kind in the world.

If you want an investment in lots that will be in a business center, or in lots that will have the top-notch fashionable residence section values, purchase in this subdivision. Prices low, terms easy.

We are building beautiful terraced avenues in our restricted part of the tract, a restriction of not less than $3.000 for building is in force. The Company will build homes on very easy payments.

Fine homes are already built on our property, one costing $10,000, and more are to be built at once. The location and the marine view are equal to anything else of the kind in the world.

Could you find a better investment, Isn't it worth while seeing us about? Call on us at our Richmond or our San Francisco offices. Free maps and booklets sent. Write for them.

B. Schapiro & Co.
902-3 Phelan Building, San Francisco
Members of the RICHMOND INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION.
High-Grade salesmen with first-class references wanted

For further particulars regarding this property cut out, sign and mail this coupon.

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Repairing Shop
Soles and heels put on in 15 minutes. We use the best of leather and guarantee our work. Give us a trial and you will be a steady customer.
1222 Macdonald Avenue

LOCAL ITEMS AND TOWN GOSSIP

"If there's a hole in yer coat, I read ye tend it, for there's a cheild among ye taken' notes, an' faith he'll prent it."—Bobby Burns.

The four little children who were left last week by the sudden death of their mother, Mrs. T. J. Rogers, have now been provided for. Two of the little ones have been adopted by Contractor James Rutherford and Mrs. Rutherford. The other two will be cared for by the state.

Believing that she is needed in the service of her native land, England, Miss Constance Humphreys has given up her position as nurse at the Craven hospital. She will leave Sunday for London, where she will report for duty as an army nurse. Her unfailing amiability have gained her many friends here.

Members of El Cerrito camp of the Modern Woodmen intend to have a drill team that will maneuver with the best of them. They have retained Lieutenant Lindenstrueth of the U. S. Army as drill master. Lieutenant Lindenstrueth is here from the Phillippines on a four months' furlough.

In response to a petition from residents of Cutting boulevard and Pullman avenue, the city council revoked the license of the Palace hotel bar. This action was in accordance with the council's recent liquor ordinance which provides for the cancelling of a saloon license automatically if the place has been closed for a week.

The Yeomen will have a class initiation and social gathering in Pythian Castle next Monday evening. The ceremonies will be followed by a banquet.

Resolutions protesting against the proposed $100,000 scenic boulevard to Mt. Diablo were unanimously adopted by the city council Monday night. The boulevard project has been advocated by the Burgess interests of Walnut Creek and the Almo. Three-fourths of the cost would be borne by special assessment of the districts affected and one fourth by the county at large. The position taken by the city council is that Richmond would pay the largest portion of any section of the county, although deriving no benefit from the highway.

The city council has refused to license machines for the vending of chewing gum, this action being taken on the advice of the city attorney. A protest was made by William English, former bantam weight champion of the world, who resides here and has 22 gum machines in the Richmond saloons. English contended that his machines did not come under the anti-slot machine law.

James P. Arnold has returned from Milwaukee, bringing back Paul Rates, accused of being a member of the Burright arson gang. Rates has a wife and two children in the east.

Mrs. Louis Schrader formerly of Richmond, and now of Sacramento is visiting here for a few days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. R. D. Noble is spending several weeks in the San Andreas mountains for her health.

The body of Mrs. Cornelia Glastra, late of Pullman, was buried in Sunset View cemetery last week. The funeral was beautifully handled by the A. A. Barber Company.

W. A. Vickery left for Waco, Texas Monday, where his father is very ill. He expects to be away for a month. He is marine storekeeper at the Standard Oil, and is a member of the Elks.

R. A. Washburn has purchased the plumbing business of Ed Maloney, on Twelfth Street. Washburn should make good, as he is an experienced plumber.

Charles Austin of San Francisco says he paid Sam Archibald $300 for a clerical job at the local S. O. offices. He finds that Sam is not the official he claimed to be and wants him jailed, and his 300.

This year's visitation of the waterfront vandals is, as usual, vigorous. The latest boat to be stolen is that of J. C. Farlinger, a small motor boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nozigiia and son Francis spent the early part of the week in San Francisco visiting relatives. Danny spent two mid-week days up county on his insurance business.

An amendment to the electrical ordinance which will place a yearly tax of $25 on electrical contractors and remove the tax on local electrical stores will come up for first reading at the meeting of the city council Monday night. This is the practice in all the other bay cities and under it Richmond contractors cannot bid for work elsewhere because of the prohibitive tax, but at present there is nothing to prevent outside electrical contractors from invading the local field.

The first of a series of entertainments by Log Cabin Camp, Woodmen of the World, will take place this evening, when a banquet will be given in W. O. W. hall. The evening will open with a varied program of amusements. The Woodmen will hold similar entertainments once a month from now on.

R. N. Steiner, business agent of the Bay counties District Council of Carpenters, with Fred Heckman, union business agent of Richmond, are visiting Crockett today.

J. A. Fagerstrom, contractor, has begun work on two new buildings. One is to be a modern bungalow for Mrs. Lucas, on Sixth street, and the other is to be a residence for J. Lindenstruth in the Richmond Annex.

Ladies' night at the Moose lodge Monday evening was voted an unqualified success by all who attended. Dancing and refreshments contributed to the enjoyment of the occasion. George Carrick, J. R. Van Valer and C. Xavier were in charge of the arrangements.

Freddie Williams, the clever and precocious little son of "Dick" Williams, the brick mason and contractor, was operated on for adenoids and tonsilitis, Tuesday by Drs. Carpenter and Cunningham.

Among the advertisements in this issue will be found that of the East Side Grocery, 2112 Macdonald avenue. A. T. Swanson, the proprietor, keeps a complete line of staple and fancy groceries, that can be relied upon for quality. It is mighty handy place to drop in replenish your larder when waiting for that car at 23rd street and Macdonald avenue. Also he makes very attractive prices.

E. L. Staneger, formerly of Eugene, Oregon, will open a fine confectionery store at 934 Macdonald avenue on May 1.

Winkle& Littlefield, well known carperters and contractors, have contracts for six new houses in various parts of the city.

Elsewhere in the News will be found the advertisement of L. H. Schrader, the prominent furniture dealer of Richmond. His finely equipped establishment, of which Richmond is justly proud, occupies the entire first floor of the Pillow building, 7th street and Macdonald avenue. From top to bottom it is filled with a stock of furniture and household goods unsurpassed in any of the bay cities. Mr. Shrader is an easy man to deal with, on a cash, installment or any other basis. He makes a specialty of an easy payment plan that has made him many friends and steady customrs. The only thing mean we can think of just now about friend Shrader is that he is a bold bad Democrat. But he sure does sell a lot of furniture.

J. J. Davis, the prominent Macdonald avenue feet and fuel dealer, was in Dixon Wednesday of this week.

Our mutual friend Bill Luce, well known baseball fan and generalissmo of the Pacific Gas and Electric company is among the many who are unfurling their banners to the breezes. His new ad will be found in this issue. Bill is all right and so is the P. G and E. We recommend both to your patronage.

Young men of today forget that if you are ambitious and want to further your interests financially and mentally, that the Richmond Polytechnic school opens the way, so don't put it off until tomorrow, start today.

The Polytechnic of Richmond has a night class and their prices are very reasonable.

One of Richmond's oldest and best known businessmen is A. A. Winfree. His straight business ways and congeniality has won him success and a host of friends. He is soon to open his new store at 617 Macdonald Ave.

Drop in and get a meal cooked by Charlie Leber at the Unique Cafe, 226 Macdonald Ave. H. E. Smith and Charlie Liber are the new bosses and in a few years they will be listed with Richmond's most prosperous businessmen.

Julius Stiefvater, who advertisement will be seen in this issue has two elegant stores, both of which carry a full and complete line of first-class groceries and household necessities. One of these is on the west side and the other is at Eighth sreet and Macdonald avenue. Julius has been in business here for many years and bears a splendid reputaion for all around sterling qualities. This editor of this publication is glad to call Julius Stiefvater his friend.

TO LET—3-room cottage and ground Grand Canyon Park. Can be seen Sunday. Apply to G. E. Bouquet, Richmond.

Wednesday, Circus night, robbery of Winfree's clothing store at 106 Macdonald avenue was again attempted. The prowlers were prying open the back door when the big burglar alarm was set off, and the noise frightened them away.

Suicide was the verdict arrived at by the coroner's jury which deliberated on the cause of the death of James, McKnight, who was found with a bullet hole in his head at Pinole about a fortnight ago.

Mr. Otto Kettyer one of the proprietors of One Minute Restaurant is to become a benedict tomorrow. Otto will be married Saturday to Miss Bertha Lund, an accomplished musician.

Since in these days of hurry and bustle, and adulterated and pure food stuffs, very many persons give little thought to what they eat or how it is prepared. In some places there may be possibly some excuse if people eat poor bread, but most certainly this is not true of the people in this city, for we have here an institution which is noted for the quality of its bread. We refer to the Angel Baking company, 405-407 Ninth street.

When out for a good time and a joy ride, don't forget that the popular Jitney Weber has a machine to your liking and spares no efforts to help provide an enjoyable evening. Mr. Weber is one of Richmond's foremost boosters and deserves a lot of credit for what he has accomplished in that direction. Make a memorandum of the telephone number, Richmond 605

One of the most up-to-date shoe stores in Richmond is the Goodyear Shoe Factory, 1212 Macdoanld Ave. Mr. Barbikas, the popular proprietor, asserts that his success is due largely to the quality of leather he uses. In addition to being a skilled mechanic, he hires only the best of help. He takes great pride in his work.

Among the best known business men of Richmond, none holds a higher place in the regard of the people than F. H. Wilkins who conducts the Barrett Avenue store at 1910 Barrett Avenue. Mr. Wilkins' store is strictly up-to-date and his stock is always full. He carries the very best brands of staple and fancy goods, foreign and domestic.

Even though you may have had all sorts of machine trouble, there is really no need for such worries. Just end your machine around to the Mt. Diablo Garage, 1121 Macdonald avenue. Lucas Brothers, the proprietors, are more than ordinary mechanics; they are expert machinists with full knowledge of every detail of the business. They will guarantee to put your machine in perfect running order and at a most reasonable cost.

NOTICE OF DISSOLLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the firm known as Kelly & Olney, (The Fair) is now dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. C. C. Olney will continue the business, Mr. J. F. Kelly having sold his interest. All oustanding accounts will be assumed by Mr. Olney.

Richmond, California, April, 20th 1916.

J. F. KELLY
C. C. OLNEY
April 21 3t

One Minute Chop House

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314 MACDONALD AVENUE

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GROCERS.

1217 MACDONALD AVENUE.

Four Branch Stores — Phone Richmond 467

Easter Specials

15 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar	$1.00	4 Cans Standard Tomatoes	25c
50 lb. Sack Family Bread Flour	$1.25	6 Cans Babbitts Cleanser	25c
10 lb. sack Yellow Corn Meal	30c	New Strawberry Jam, 15 oz. Jars	15c
7 lbs. good rice	25c	Pure Ground Pepper, lb.	25c
2 lbs. best rice	15c	EGGS AND BUTTER	
16 lbs. best potatoes	25c	Very Best Selected Eggs, doz.	25c
5 lbs. onions	10c	2 doz. Fresh Ranch Eggs	45c
Best sweet Oranges, dozen	25c	Fresh Pullet Eggs, doz	20c
Fancy Juicy Lemons, dozen	10c	Fresh Duck Eggs, doz.	30c
3 lbs. Fancy Blend Coffee	50c	2 lbs. Fancy Creamery Butter	57c
3 lbs. Fancy New Crop Tea, any flavor	$1.00	2 lbs. Best Butter	60c
Our Best Coffee, lb. cans	35c	2 lbs. Best Cream Cheese	35c
Good Coffee, worth 25c lb.	15c	FRY'S GOV. INSPECTED SUGAR CURED MEATS	
5 lbs. Macaroni or Spaghetti	25c	None Better Regardless of Brand or Price. For Flavor, Taste and Quality. Take them home and if not satisfied we will refund the price you pay.	
5 lbs. Sago, Barley or Tapioca	25c	Frye's Best Wild Rose Hams lb.	17½c
5 lbs. Pink or White Beans	25c	Frye's Best Wild Rose Bacon, lb.	22½c
2 lbs. Best Boneless Codfish	25c	Frye's Best Wild Rose Lard No. 3 Cans	40c
7 cans Carnation Milk, small	25c	Lard No. 5 Cans	70c
7 cans Del Monte Sauce	25c	Frye's Best Wild Rose Lard No. 10 size	$1.35
Royal Baking Powder, can	37c	Frye's Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, lb.	11½c
Snider Catsup large bottles	17½c	Best Pure Lard, lb.	15c
2 cans Old Dutch Cleanser	15c		
3 Cans Karo Syrup	25c		
3 Bottles Catsup	25c		
Lipton's Yellow Label,, Best Tea lb.	55c		
4 large Cans Carnation milk	25c		
12 large Cans Tulip Milk	55c		
2 cans Sugar Peas or Corn	15c		

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Sixth Street Opposite Post Office—The Best 25c Meals in Town

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M. J. Kelly, 1202 Macdonald Avenue.
Phone Richmond 362

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A. T. Swanson, Prop.

Staple and Fancy Groceries
Fruits and Vegetables

The very best of goods at the least possible price. A trial of your patronage is solicited.

Rich. 559 2112 Macdonald

Easter Will Soon Be Here

Let every impression you make be a lasting impression of good taste and prosperity. You can be served well at

Yonce's 622-24-26 Macdonald Ave.

STIEFVATER'S

Extra Specials for Easter

SATURDAY

Positively everything in Staple and Fancy Groceries

STIEFVATER'S

TWO STORES

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You Purchase a Home On Easy Payments

Why Not Furniture, and Pay As You Use It?

A House For a Home

Furniture for Comfort and Attractiveness

Every woman wants a beautiful home. She can have it for little more than the mere asking. If you knew the extremely liberal credit terms which we gladly extend and the absolute sincerity with which you are urged to enjoy freely every benefit this organization offers, you would not hesitate an instant in opening an account here. Examine our new stock, fresh from the great furniture markets, and see for yourself how easy it is to have a beautiful home—our way.

L. H. Schrader

Furniture—Cash or installments

PHONE 177

703 Macdonald Ave.

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Your Easter Hat

and the right place to get it, as you probably know is at the big store of

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Heat up a bathroom, living room or sitting room or make a damp chilly bedroom warm and cozy in a few minute.

Convenience—the big feature. Equipped with flexible metal tubing.

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Artistic construction, durable, reasonable in price.

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Interesting County News

County Assessor George O. Meese spent a busy week in visiting the taxpayers of Byron, Brentwood and Oakley. He conferred with the property owners to arrive at just valuations and explained the various features of the tax laws.

Corporal William M. Carr, U. S. army recruiting officer, spent the week in Martinez and received a number of enlistments to fill vacancies in the army ranks. The list is open to able bodied men between 18 and 35.

The county board of supervisors will call for bids for the construction of the Carnegie library at Walnut Creek for which $2500 have been donated. Bids will probably be opened about May 15.

The newly elected board of trustees for Martinez has chosen J. E. Colton as chairman and ex-officio Mayor of Martinez.

Capt. V. A. Van Tassell, well known aeronaut, will make an ascension at Martinez Sunday in the new balloon "Martinez."

Antioch is planning a big Fourth of July celebration. There will be an immense parade consisting of numerous floats, each section headed by a band. The program also includes sports of all kinds, with boat races and athletic games.

C. F. Braun & Company have filed suit against the town of Antioch for $200, which it is claimed is due for labor and material in installing fire extinguishing apparatus.

Saturday, May 6th, will be celebrated as May Day by the citiens of Crockett. It is intended by the committee in charge to encourage the carnival spirit and confetti, horns and all kinds of noise instruments will be available. A grand parade will take place at 1 o'clock.

This is a very prosperous year for the asparagus growers as all canners in the Antioch district are now working on asparagus. The total output has been estimated at 1000 cars. The canning season will last till the end of June and all indications point to higher prices this year as the cost of labor and material is much higher than last year.

Work on the second link of the great boulevard which is to stretch from one end of Contra Costa County to the other will start in July, at the boundary line south of Byron. About twelve miles of this link will be completed this year, probably reaching a point between Oakley and Antioch.

Walnut Creek may raise the biggest potatoes, Concord the biggest turnips, Antioch the biggest asparagus and Martinez the biggest babies, but when it comes to raising the biggest poker hand, stranger, you come to Richmond.

A grand opening of the nickel dance will be held in the Arcadc hall, Crockett, Wednesday evening, April 26th. The Carquinez orchestra will provide the music.

J. W. Beckman, electro chemical engineer with the Great Western Power Co., described in detail the new Pittsburg plant for the manufacture of caustic soda and bleaching powders at a meeting in the Commercial Club rooms at the Hotel Oakland Monday night, said that it was his opinion that from this beginning will develop an industry that will place the Pacific Coast on a par with Norway and Sweden, or Niagara, as a center for the production or chemicals from electricity; and this because of the cheap water power available, though as yet undeveloped in thi section. And this industry, declared Mr. Beckman, will prove to be a source of greater potential wealth than all the gold mined in the state.

Messrs. McNamara and Winkleman have just purchased a five acre tract on the Martinez waerfront between the state highway and the railroad tracks and a fine wharf will be built there immediately. The wharf will be 1800 feet long and will have 24 feet of water at low tide.

Sugar from the Hawaiian Islinds is coming to Crockett in greater tonnage than ever before in the history of the industry and as a result the shipping docks are becoming congested and the big Crockett refinery is working to its utmost capacity to supply the everincreasing demand.

A building wave has struck Martinez. Building material at their present high cost have little effect on the proposed improvements planned for that city as many fine business blocks are going up as well as beautiful homes.

Today is the date set for the second hearing on the application of the Martinez and Concord Interurban Electric Railway to issue stocks and bonds to pay for building the first unit of the proposed road from Martinez to Vine Hill.

Grand View Terrace, owned by Burg Bros. in the east part of the city, is undergoing a vast amount of improvement in all directions. Streets are being paved, new cement sidewalks are being laid and 20 new, hansome ersidences are tob e constructed immediately.

Today is Good Friday, commemorating the crucifixion of Christ. All over the civilized world it is a day of fasting, sadness, silence and mourning. Even the soldiers in the trenches are not required to make war today.

Work on the new city hall, which is to adorn Richmond Civic Center, is going ahead rapidly. The walls are nearing completion and the eye can already follow the pleasing contour that the imposing edifice will take when finished.

The new roofing plant for the General Roofing manufacturing Co. has arrived at a stage of construction where its high, brick walls can be seen from almost any part of town. It covers a large area and lends and air of prosperity to the northern district.

The Bowers Rubber Works company at Pittsburg has adopted a 9 hour day schedule for employees. The company is adding to its plant by building another warehouse 25x200 feet to its group of buildings.

TAFT & PENNOYER

We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the fine Easter announcement of Taft & Pennoyer in this issue. Taft and Pennoyer have one of the best equipped department stores in the west. Their establishment will compare favorably with similar stores of San Francisco, Kansas City or Chicago.

We are in favor of home industry as always, and believe in patronizing local merchants wherever and whenever possible, but to those who visit Oakland and do a portion of their trading there, we say that they will make no mistake in buying at Taft & Pennoyer's splendid store. Courteous treatment, and reasonable proces, with a reliable line of goods in all departments, are factors in the success of Taft and Pennoyer.

CHOICE CUTS FOR EASTER

Your attention is called to the new advertisement of our well known friend and fellow-citizen, Ex-Mayor O. R. Ludewig proprietor of three splendid meat markets in Richmond. The best quality of meats are to be found at these markets at all times, and just now you will find something extra fine as a foundation for your Easter dinner, which you will recall, is coming next Sunday. Mr. Ludewig personally, as well as his products is held in very high esteem by the thousands of union workers in Richmond, for whom he has always stood consistently in favor of.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

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Richmond Daily News

Location of Principal Place of Business, 250 Sixth Street, Richmond California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 17th day of April 1916, an assessment of thirty (30) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately lawful money of the United States, to R. W. Seamans, the Secretary of said company, at the office of the company, 250 Sixth street, in the city of Richmond, county of Contra Costa, state of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Monday, the 22nd day of May 1916, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1916, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1916.

R. W. SEAMANS, Sec.
250 Sixth Street, Richmond Cal.

A WORTHY CONCERN

One of the important concerns in Richmond is that of F. E. Adams & Co. dealers in feed and fuel—both wholesale and retail. They have large yards and warehouses at Eighteenth Street on the Santa Fe railroad, where they are equipped to for hauling a large volume of business, having in service a large automobile truck as well as other delivery equipment. They also have a transfer line under the personal ownership and management of Mrs. Frank E. Adams no order is too large or too small to receive prompt attention and careful service.

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Colorful Neckwear

The most conspicious thing about this season's Neckwear is the great amount of color shown and the very fascinating variety, from the simple flat collar to frills and ruffles and tiers and laces and embroidered effects. There is a new pointed style called "the spade" and collars with white ruched effects with colored borders, and other bewitching styles so great in variety and value as to make CAPWELLS the Neckwear House of Oakland. PRICES 25c, 50c AND UP

Fashionable Veilings

Every new kind of a mesh that Dame Fashion rules to be correct this season is to be found in our Veiling Section. Heavy and thin meshes, some figured, some bordered and every color to match the complexion and Easter Hat in flare and drape effects. PRICES 50c AND UP

Children's Easter Apparel

Newest and daintiest of Dresses, Coats, Bonnets, Hats and Underthings for infants and little girls.

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COATS FOR LITTLE GIRLS

They all show the latest fashion ideas. High waists, long skirts, slash pockets, fine, new collars and bone buttons. The materials are wollen coatings in broken and shepherd checks and exceptionally pretty coats in solid colors, including navy, green, rose, Copenhagen, brown and black silk—$3.10 to $12

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Easter at the Churches

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Prelude—Orchestra, Richard Winfree.
Doxology.
Invocation.
Hymn—"Come Thou Almighty King."
Scripture Reading.
Prayer.
Response—Choir.
Announcements.
Offertory—Orchestra.
Cantata—"The Triumph".

PART I.

Introduction ..... Orchestra
Whi is This That Cometh?
Unison Recitative.
Bartone Solo ..... Mr. S. E. Turner
Glory Be To Jesus ..... Choir
Sweet the Moments ..... Duet
Miss Knoble and Mrs. A. C. Kerley.

PART II.

In the End of the Sabbath .....
.....Soprano Recitative
Miss Mable Helen Taft
Mary's Song—Alto Solo .....
..... Louise Fanning
Alleluia! He Arose ..... Chorus
Address ..... Dr. Boyer
Benediction
Orchestra

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Special music both morning and evening and Easter sermons by the Pastor, Rev. H. K. Sanborn. At the morning service there will be an anthem by the choir under the leadership of Mrs. C. S. Gibson, "Christ Our Passover" and a duet by Miss Edith Pickett and J. H. Plate, "O Morning Land." The cermon by the pastor will be "The Risen Lord of Life."

In the evening Rev. Sanborne will preach upon "The Walk to Emmaus" with a short preface upon "An Easter Spent in Athens." The choir will render "Hallelujah, Christ is Risen" and a vocal solo will be rendered by William Barton, "Hosannah." Morning service at 11 a. m. and evening at 7:45 p. m.

Arrangements have been made for a male quartet to sing at the evening service.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH

Commencing tomorrow morning there will be special services at St. Mark's Catholic church during the last days of tthe lenten season.

At 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon there will be services for the children and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock with an address in the evening by Father M. Galvin of East Oakland.

Saturday morning owing to the length of the services the mass will commence at 7 o'clock. Confession will be held in the afternoon and evening. The request it made that the children be present after 3 o'clock in the afternoon. On Easter Sunday there will be masses at 6 o'clock, 7 o'clock and 8:30 and a high mass at 10:30 o'clock with special music by the choir under the direction of Miss Lucia Kerr. There will be benediction of the Blessed Sacrament following the mass with no evening servises.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CHURCH

Low mass at 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

High mass will be celebrated at 10:30 o'clock by the Rev. J. L. Collins. The following choir will sing Emerson's Mass in E. Flat:

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Organist—Miss Wuth C. Woods.
Sopranos—Miss Waddie Mitchell, Miss Clara Monroe.
Altos—Mrs. George Monroe, Mrs. F. Hounsel.
Tenors—Mr. Jacob Laarman, Mr. Thomas Keville.
Bass—Mr. Herman Pircher.

The solos will be:

Battman's Regina Coeil, by Miss Mitchel and choir.
Hargitt's O Satutaris by Mr. T. Keville.
Panseron't Tantum Ergo, by Mr. Pircher.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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Rev, R. S. Walker, Minister.

Easter will be observed in all services.

Sunday school 9:45.
Morning Worship 11 A. M.
Young People's Union 6:45, Mrs. R. S. Walker, leader.
Evening worship, 7:45.
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Beginning at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening the following program will be given by the Sunday school of the First Congregational church 20th and Roosevelt.

Song by School with orchestra accompaniment.
Prayer by Rev. G. H. DeKay, pastor.
Welcome Exercise—The Easter Story by Dorothy Rector and Gyneth Roe.
Song—Waking the Flowers, by Junior Girls.
Recitation—The Easter Lesson by Alden Clark.
Exercise—The Little Gardners, Primary Class.
Song by school.
Recitation—The Meaning of Easter, by Ruth Ginrich.
Exercise—Jesus Loves Me, Junior Girls.
Song—Beautiful Tidings, Intermediate Girls.
Recitation—Let There Be Light, Howard Roe.
Recitation—Easter Time, Anona Klein.
Recitation—Easter Lilies, Annabelle Jarvis.
Exercise—The Life of the World, by Intermediate Girls.
Short Address By Rev. DeKay.
Song by School.
Benediction.
Accompanists—Mrs. E. Stubblefield and Gladys McCausland.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Opening Hymn by Children Hymn 79.
Prayer—Rev. S. K. Skinner.
Recitation in Verse, Primary Class.
Vocal Solo, "Ring Bells," Lois Wood.
Recitation, "Easter Day," Myron Piety.
Vocal Solo, Stanley eJnkins.
Recitation (Busy Spring), Holly Gebhardt.
Vocal Duet, Catherine Hayes and Stanley Jenkins.
Recitation, "Easter Bells," Mary Picton.
Recitation, Crown and Cross," Duke Tilden.
Exercise, "The First Violets," Mrs. eBnnett's class.
Exercise, "Waking the Flowers," Catherine Hayes.
Song, "Ring Glad Bells," Mrs. Piety's Class.
Recitation, "Children's King," Ernest Blount.
Exercise, "Bearing a Light," Little boys.
Exercise, "Butterflies," Mrs. Bennett's Class.
Recitation, "Red, White and Blue" Alta Bryon.
Recitation by Little Folks, Margaret Stromberg and Robert Vanfleett.
Star Drill, Class of Girls.
Exercise, "Garlands Fair," Mrs. Pietys Class.
Recitation, "The Optimist," Dorotha Hayes.
Exercise, "The Three Mornings," Sarah, Hellen, Hazel.
Recitation, "The Palm," Elnor Wood, Gladys Picton.
Recitation Story of Easter, by class of girls and boys.
Recitation, Catherine Hayes.
"The Lily's Message," Winifred Gamble.
Song, "Sweet Bells Chime," Primary Class.
Recitation, "First aEster," Eva Roberts.
Recitation, Alta Bryron.
Recitation, Hary Clark.
Exercise, "Easter Stars," Class of Gorls.
Recitation, "The aFirest Dawn," Frank Lent.
Duet, Mesdames eJnkins and Brothers.
Recitation, William Wood.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Regular mornig services will be held at the First Methodist church on Sunday morning. In the evening there will be a union service at which the members of the First Baptist Church will join with those of the Methodist in enjoying a short address by Rev. Peterson and a slendid musical program now being arranged.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Easter morning program will be:

Processional Hymn, "Welcome Happy Morn," by A. M. Sullivan.
Benite by W. Boyce.
Gedemus Laudamues in key S by Cabel Simber.
Jubilate Deo in Key E Flat by Cabel Simber.
Anthem, "Why Seek Ye The Living Among the Dead?" by E. A. Clare.
Hymn, "The Strife is O'er."
Sermon by Rev. Maxwell of San Francisco.
Offeratory, Violin by Ward McRacken. Miss McRacken, accompanist.
Communion Service.
Recessional Hymn, "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

Regular services will be held in the Richmond Club house, corner Twelfth street and Nevin avenue.

The topic for the service will be "Probation After Death' 'and there will be special vocal music.

Sunday school is at 10 o'clock and the morning service at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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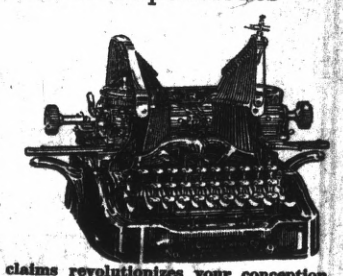

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PUBLIC HEALTH

RICHMOND BOARD OF HEALTH

Which has the most crooks to fight, the Police Department or the Department of Health?

The former certainly has its hands full trying to preserve law and order, for there are many ignorant and careless people who endanger life and property by disregarding the plain laws that pertains to each man's treatment of his fellows. There are too many selfish individuals who run automobiles and otherwise menace human lives. Given an inch, they take an ell if they can. The club of the law is the remedy while they are being educated.

In 1915, the Police Department of Chicago made 113,725 arrests in hunting crooks. Three thousand three hundred and thirty violent deaths occured.

The Health Department for the same year in the same city reported 63,169 cases of contagious disease and recorded 34,894 deaths, but there were easily ten times as many sick of infection as deaths reported. The germs which cause over 350,000 estimated cases of sickness in one year are surely crooks, which must be met with preparedness.

The knife and gun crook was all too busy, but the tubercle baccillus alone slew 4,204 people in 1915 and has at least 25,000 good citizens paying toll to its blackmail.

If the Police Department has its hands full, the Department of Health has a more insidious foe to fight and his name is Legion. By all means improve the efficiency of the officer of the law and order. Back him up in his battle against crime, for there is no peace at any price where criminals are in league with other enemies of life and health and order. But also let us give our aid and co-operation in support of the officer who seeks to arrest disease and punish the crooked germs which threaten life and happiness far more than do the burglar and his kind.

The clean community commends itself to careful scrutiny all the time. It means good citizenship; nothing more or less.

Keep the ailing child at home. It may be coming down with some contagious disease. Safety first all the time.

Time now to begin to think about planting things. Did you have any flowers or vegetables last year? If not, why not do a little back and front yard gardening this spring and summer? It would be a fine thing if all the vacant lots in Richmond, including many back yards, could be planted with fruits, flowers and vegetables; flowers to beautify our homes and cheer our hearts; fruits and vegetables to feed and nourish our bodies and finally, to give us health and strength as a result of work and exercise in the fresh air.

How about the playgrounds and parks, also a municipal bath house? We must make a start sometime and the sooner the better.

If you know of any complaint to make, kindly call the Health office, Richmond 302, and we will take care of it. "That's What We Are Here For."

CHAS. R. BLAKE M. D.,
Commission of Health.

HENRY SELLS SAXON SIXES

"Hank" M. Stearns, formerly local contractor, has broken into the auto sales game with a splash. Though he is making his residence in Martinez, he handles the Richmond territory for his company, the Saxon.

J. A. Miller of Fifth street received a delivery on "Six" a few days ago. Stearns lives at Martinez, his phone is Martinez 5F24.

1916 CLUB HOLDS A WHIST TOURNAMENT

A delightful meeting of the 1916 Whist club was held at Mrs. H. L. Kittle's 426 21st street. Mrs. E. Pressler, won the first prize, Mrs. J. M. Hansen the second and Mrs. C. L. Gilmore the consolation. The next meeting of the club will be at Mrs. J. E. Lansman's home 417 Santa Fe avenue on April 27.

Those present were Mesdames J. E. Hansen, E. E. Klein, D. A. Lang, C. L. Gilmore, P. F. Nee, F. L. Bonner, A. Strum, J. E. Lansman, E. G. Bennett, J. E. Wright, A. Madeen, C. Pressler, E. W. Entrican, W. A. Vickery, H. L. Kittle, L. Ginger, and H. C. Macdonowth.

LINCOLN PRIMARY SCHOOL TO BE BUILT ON NEW LOTS

The Board of Education has purchased three and one half lots adjoining the Lincoln school grounds to the north, for the total sum of $9,500. Another school edifice will be constructed on this property, to accomodate the 200 primary students now housed in shacks on the school property.

Pulse Bros. were payed $4,500 for a lot and a half on Tenth street, and Dr. W. C. Reid, $5000 for two lots on Ninth street.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election for school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 10th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the county Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave. Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave, Richmond
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown, Stege, P. O.
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Tell me not in mourful numbers,
Life is but an empty dream;
Nightly e'er you take your slumbers,
Rub your face with "Gold Seal" cream.

To the ladies of Richmond don't forget that when you are getting ready for a dance or a party and you want to look your best Mrs. Mae Easterwood, of the Rex Beauty Parlor, is an artist in that line.

Purity of dairy products in the markets is a quality so rare that an institution that affords a supply is deserving of praise as a boon and a public blessing. Such credit is due the Richmond Creamery company, of which John Phimister is the proprietor. His plant is so arranged that a large supply of dairy products is on hand at all times. He invites all to inspect his establishment.

About four years ago, Mr. Haberdank opened up the finest shoe shop in this town. Richmond is known as one of the strongest labor towns in California and the union man demands not only the union label but the very best grade of work and they have all come to know Mr. Haberdank makes shoes to order and is very particular about examining the needs of his many customers.

The Bellegrade French Laundry is the place to find absolute sanitation and cleanliness, in addition to prompt and reliable delivery. The business is founded on these principles, and through strict attention to them it has grown to be a big industry.

J. L. Baker, head of the Baker Conservatory of Music at 1250 Wright Avenue, states that there is a much greater activity at present in all musical lines than there has been for some time past. Mr. Baker's institution has graduated many musicians who have since become well known. The following musicians comprise the teaching force at the Conservatory: Mrs. Baker, Miss LaSalle, Mrs. Jackson, and Professors Cheuvront, Chamberlain, Noble, Kinney, Lock, McRacken, Cavalier, Schleth and Schwartz.

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Christ Has Risen! Christ Has Risen Indeed!

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soms which have sprung into life again from a seeming dead plant, and the egg which contains life not apparent to the human eye or understanding.

So, when the glad bells peel and chime and nature greets you on this beautiful Easter morn with a smile undimmed by tears, whether you belong to a sect or not or go with the multitude wending its way to the churches over the land, at least look up into the blue canopy of the heavens and exclaim with the rest: "Christ has risen! He has risen indeed!"

Barnes Circus Is Different

Never, through it's centuries of use was the mouldy phrase, "The show that's different" more applicably than to the spectacular, interesting and monster Earnes circus which exhibited before a large Richmond audience Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Though all of the 600 animal actors were introduced as highly educated they all lived up to the classification, and scores of drills, difficult feats, antics and capers by the tamed (in some instances, hardly tamed) and domestic animals were enjoyed by the audience. Fire fearing tigers and lions were made to jump through blazing hoops onto the backs of galloping horses, and to ascend to the ridge of the "big top" on a fire spurting plane. Bears wrestled with their trainers, balanced on balls, waltzed and tangoed.

And the interesting patter and byplay of the clowns, was good, yes, new and very good.

Probably the only just critism of the big circus is that the fiery aerial ascension of the two women animal trainers, accompanied by a lion and a tiger, taking place as it does, several numbers from the end of the program, fills the tent with powder smoke, objectionable to the nasal and optic organs. In fact the smoke was thick and in tents. An pun.

But withal it was the best circus that has come to Richmond.

NEW APARTMENT HOUSE

A three story apartment house, to cost $16,500, is shortly to be erected in East Richmond, at Roosevelt and Nicholl avenues. The papers have already been signed and work will begin at an early date. Several new residences are also planned for that section of the city.

DELEGATES TO NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

While the Republicans are divided into two factions in this state over the election of delegates to the National Convention which will be held in Chicago in June, the Democrats have only one ticket, which will go before the people at the coming primary which will be held on May 2nd. They will vote for Wilson.

Following is the list of delegates selected to represent the Democratic Party at St. Louis in June, which The News has been specially requested to publish.

1st Congressional Dist.—Claude Purkett, Willows; William Maddox, Fulton.

2nd Congressional Dist—Charles Culbert, Jackson; J. B. Curtin, Sonora.

3rd Congressional Dist.—George Vice, Sacramento; George A. Catts, Stockton.

4th Congressional Dist.—E. S. Heller, San Francisco; Frank J. Hennessey, San Francisco.

5th Congressional Dist.—Thomas W. Hickey, San Francisco; Mrs. Nora Rasmussen, San Francisco.

6th Congressional Dist.—William B. Bunker, Oakland; Robert M. Fitzgerald, Oakland.

7th Congressional Dist.—T. J. Wisecarver, Modesto; O. L. Everts, Fresno.

8th Congressional Dist.—Franklin Swart, Redwood City; W. T. Jeter, Santa Cruz.

9th Congressional Dist.—Miss Mary Foy, Los Angeles; Dr. S. Y. Van Meter, Los Angeles.

10th Congressional Dist.—Mrs. W. C. Tyler, Los Angeles; Dr. R. W. Hill, Los Angeles.

11th Congressional Dist.—W. J. Curtis, San Bernardino; Mrs. B. H. Hobdy, Imperial.

PERCY KITCHEN IS A FATHER NOW, REALLY!

Mrs. Percy Kitchen, gave birth to an eight pound baby boy at the Fabiola hospital, Oakland, on April 17. "Father" Percy is a popular clerk in the marine department at the Standard Oil refinery.

San Pablo Not To Be Paved Very Soon

That nothing will be done toward actually improving the important link in the State highway system, San Pablo avenue, from San Pablo to the county line, was the dissapointing results of the conference between state highway commissioners and supervisor Zeh Knott, and others, held in San Francisco, Wednesday. Others present with Knott were district attorney T. D. Johnston, Assemblyman W. R. Sharkey, and State Engineers Wast and Lotus of San Francisco.

Eastern Star Cabaret Show Is On Tonight

Several hundred Masons, their wives and friends will attend the cabaret show to be given by Acantha Chapter of Eastern Star in Bank hall tonight.

The program promises unusual interest and is versatile. Mrs. Louellen Griffin of San Jose will give a dilect number, Dr. Roy Moore an operatic solo, Messrs Jones and Calfee a violin specialty duet, Miss Mildred aPssmore, in ballad numbers, Harry (Lauder) Lambert in Scotch dialect hits Miss Myrtle Welch in one of her new songs, Dr. M. F. Underwood in a humerous monologue, and Miss Ruth Baker of Berkeley in several operatic vocal numbers. Miss Irma Dearborn will be the accompanist for vocal numbers.

A Spanish sextet of Richmond senoritas will give the colorful grand finale to the program, after which dancing and cards will be indulged in. Refreshments will be served free during the evening. Adults 25c, children 15c.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1915-1916.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martines:

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa the Duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1915-1916,

And that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

Third Monday in October,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter at six o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January next,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April next,

hereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martines, Contra Costa county, California.

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Infants' Silk Coats are shown in white, pink and blue, at ..... $6.95 to $12.g0
Tailored Straw Hats are priced at ..... 95c to $4.95
Trimmed Dress Hats are priced ..... 2.25 to $9.50
Wash Hats are priced ..... 65c to $1.95

Children's Wear Section—Second Floor

EASTER PARASOLS

Included in the Easter effects are to be mentioned "The Little Corporal," with a new ruffled edge; "The Palm," a brand-new shape; "The Chin Chin," Oriental; "The Princess Pat" and "The Fan Tan Tokio."

Ladies' Parasols in the newest frames and colors, with the English Club stick handle, are priced from ..... $2.50 to $15.00

Misses' Novelty Parasols, new colors and new models, are specially sized for misses and children. They come at ..... 75c to $3.50

Plain Taffeta Parasols in new shades, with regular handles or English Club sticks, priced ..... $2.50 to $7.50

Pongee Silk Parasols, plain or lined, with new shapes and handles, are priced from ..... $3.50 to $6.50

Linen and Cotton Parasols are shown especially designed for the country or beach, some are daintily Japanese embrodered, priced ..... $1.00 to $2.50

Parasol Section—First Floor.

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STYLISH AND ARTISTIC

Imported Swiss collars in the new roll or flat effects are priced at ..... 25c to $2.50 each
Colored Organdie Collars and Vesties in new shades are priced at ..... 50c to $1.25
Hand Embroidered Collars in roll or flat effects are priced at ..... 50c to $8.00 each
Sport Vests, shown in silk, in black and white, green and white or, blue and white, are priced at ..... $3.50 each
Crepe de Chine String Ties in all the latest colors and shown in the popular loop ends are to be had priced ..... 25c each

Neckwear Section—First Floor

FOOTWEAR

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Ladies' white washable kid laced boots with plain toe and French heels. Priced at ..... $10.00 the pair
All ivory kid button shoes with French heels. A new and very smart model. Priced ..... $10.00 the pair
The same shoe as the above in a pearl gray button style with buttons to match. Priced ..... $10.00 the pair
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The same shoe as the above in a laced styles is priced at ..... $9.00 the Pair

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Shoe Section—First Floor

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